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BRIDGEWATER COLLEGE**

ANNUAL REPORT
of the officers of the
college for the session
1950-1951

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The President's Report

To The Trustees of Bridgewater College:

There is submitted herewith the report of the seventy-first session of the college which ended June 30, 1951. This condensed report embraces data drawn from the records of the Dean of the College, the Treasurer of the College, and the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees.

Trustee and Faculty Changes

A number of changes in the Trustee Board took place during the year of 1950-51. T. Simon Richardson, representing the Florida District, was removed by death in August of 1950. Mark E. Bower was elected by the district to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Richardson. The board elected W. T. Sanger, of Richmond, D. Wilmer Garber, of Woodbridge, A. D. Miller, of Roanoke, and W. E. Wine of Parker, to serve on five year terms each. The vacancy created by the resignation of Paul M. Robinson of the Middle Maryland District was filled by Earl Mitchell, of Hagerstown, Md.

Changes in the faculty were William G. Willoughby in the department of sociology to take the place of Alice M. Brumbaugh; Lowell V. Heisey to head the department of chemistry; Paul R. Yoder, assistant in physics; William L. Pryor and Louise Truxal were added to the English staff, taking the places of Marie Cranmer and Howard Barnett. Ruth E. Tandy was added to the staff in physical education. Louise Sayre was employed as nurse in the place of Carolyn Ross. A Ray Showalter was added to the staff as assistant to the Director of the Development Program. At the spring meeting of the Board of Trustees, Paul H. Bowman was named President Emeritus of the college.

Alumni Program

A very comprehensive directory of the alumni of Bridgewater, Daleville, and Blue Ridge Colleges was edited by Rufus B. King, Executive Secretary of the Alumni Association, and released in the early spring. This is the first directory to be published since 1930. On June 2, 1951, Edwin E. Will, superintendent of schools in Bath County was elected president of the Alumni Association with Robert K. Burns, president-elect. O. P. Jones was elected vice-president, John B. Wampler, treasurer, and Mattie V. Glick, recording secretary. A chapter of the Association was organized in Fairfax and Prince William Counties, making a total of fourteen chapters.

Commencement

Degrees were granted to one hundred graduates in the August and June commencements. Fred J. Wampler was awarded the hon-

orary degree of Doctor of Laws, and Ernest M. Wampler, the degree Doctor of Divinity. Dr. Hornell Hart, of Duke University, delivered the commencement address on June 4, 1951. At the alumni banquet Mr. and Mrs. John T. Glick were honored as being the "Couple of the Year" among the alumni. They are both graduates of the college and their daughter Ruth was the tenth child to receive the bachelor's degree from Bridgewater. This degree was conferred on June 4, 1951. Two other children of the Glick family were enrolled in the college in the session of 1950-51. Harry G. M. Jopson, Professor of Biology, was honored by the former students who served on Cross Country and Track teams which Dr. Jopson had so successfully coached during the past ten years.

Religious Activities.

Religious Emphasis Week was observed in October with Paul M. Robinson spending a week on the campus. Great benefit was derived from his chapel addresses and his individual and group conferences with students. During Thanksgiving Week the Student Christian Movement held a conference at the college which brought together approximately one hundred and fifty young people from the six Brethren colleges. In January, Henry Hitt Crane, of Detroit, Michigan, was the guest speaker at the Spiritual Life Institute. His addresses along with the messages of other speakers were very stimulating and helpful to those in attendance. The Youth Round Table of the Southeastern Region was held the third week-end of April. This conference brings to the college five or six hundred youth from the Region who seek spiritual enrichment and guidance through group conferences, in mass meetings, and in recreational activities. In addition, the following conferences were held during the summer of 1950: The Women's Work Conference; The Children's Workers Conference; The Christian Ashram; The Youth Temperance Council of Virginia; The Young Married Peoples' Conference, and the Conference of Weekday Religious Education Teachers.

Enrollment Data

Enrollment by church districts:

Florida and Georgia	8
Mardela	5
Eastern Maryland	27
Middle Maryland	11
Western Maryland	4
North and South Carolina	4
Tennessee and Alabama	0
Eastern Virginia	43
First Virginia	42
Northern Virginia	110
Second Virginia	132

Southern Virginia	25
First West Virginia	10
Second West Virginia	1
Outside Southeastern Region	26
Men enrolled	310
Women enrolled	138
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Total enrollment	448
Summer session 1950	100
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Grand total (less duplicates)	486

The above figures show a decline of eleven per cent over the previous year, which was largely due to a smaller veteran enrollment, and the drafting of young men for military service. Approximately sixty-five per cent of the students were classified as resident students. Of the 448 enrolled in the regular session, 225 or approximately fifty-one per cent were members of the Church of the Brethren. There were 38 ministerial students in the student body.

Giving During the Past Year

During the past year gifts amounting to \$68,145.63 were received from the region. Gifts from outside the region total \$5,297.16, making a grand total of \$73,442.79. Included in this grand total are gifts from 658 alumni to the amount of \$29,817.58. A distribution of the giving by congregations and districts is found elsewhere in this bulletin.

The Development Program

The Ten-Year Development Program, which was inaugurated March 6, 1950, designed to raise \$1,100,000. for the decade of 1950-60, is progressing satisfactorily. It is ably directed by Rufus King who divides his time between personal solicitation, alumni work and recruiting students. A Ray Showalter gives full time to personal solicitation among the churches. It would appear that we shall need to expand and intensify our program if the necessary funds are to be secured for much needed buildings, endowment, and scholarships.

Looking Ahead

The international situation and the consequent drafting of young men for military service continues to create a situation of uncertainty for the colleges. However, the decline in enrollment is not as large as had been expected, although we may not have seen yet the full extent of the decline. It appears that we shall face a difficult problem in keeping up a satisfactory enrollment for the next few years. This situation will, of course, entail financial problems and budgetary readjustment.

We are trying to meet this situation by an intensive and exten-

sive program of student recruitment, a curtailment of campus improvements to the bare minimum, and by the practice of every possible economy in administration that is consistent with a good quality of work.

Looking beyond the next few years, the future of Bridgewater College seems promising, and we should continue to plan for a normal student body of 500 or more. We should carry on our development program with increasing vigor and prepare for the day when we shall have a large number of students applying for admission.

Respectfully submitted

WARREN D. BOWMAN
President

STATEMENT OF CURRENT OPERATIONS

BRIDGEWATER COLLEGE

Regular Session 1950-51 & Summer Session 1950 Consolidated

Income

EDUCATIONAL & GENERAL

A. Student Fees	\$166,871.09	
B. Endowment Earnings	16,683.41	
C. Gifts & Grants	5,260.26	
D. Other Sources	8,576.33	\$197,391.07

AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES

A. Dormitory	32,086.69	
B. Dining Room	67,572.84	
C. Student Activities	19,974.21	
D. Book Store Sales	27,702.56	
E. Snack Shop Sales	7,718.08	155,054.38
TOTAL INCOME		\$352,445.45

Expenses

EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

A. Administration & General	\$ 53,593.77	
B. Instruction	105,110.87	
C. Library	7,132.73	
D. Operation & Maintenance	42,110.86	207,948.23

AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES & ACTIVITIES

A. Dormitory	4,604.81	
B. Dining Room	69,362.36	
C. Student Activities	22,774.00	
D. Book Store Purchases	24,426.52	
E. Snack Shop	8,240.42	129,408.11

OTHER NON-EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES

A. Interest	7,348.96	
B. Scholarships	4,664.66	
C. Miscellaneous	236.70	12,250.32

TOTAL EXPENSES

Excess of Income over Expense	349,606.66	2,838.79
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TOTAL EXPENSE & SURPLUS

352,445.45

FINANCIAL REPORT BRIDGEWATER COLLEGE

Balance Sheet

As of June 30, 1951

Assets

I. CURRENT FUNDS

A. General:

Cash in bank	1,395.12	
Notes Receivable	3,129.49	
Accounts Receivable	1,462.53	
Inventories (Farm, D. R. & Fuel)	30,350.46	
Unexpired insurance	4,327.54	
		40,665.14

B. Restricted:

Cash in Bank	729.60	
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TOTAL CURRENT FUNDS

41,394.74

II. LOAN FUNDS

Cash in Bank	5,975.30	
Notes Receivable	10,571.39	
Stock	2,000.00	

TOTAL LOAN FUNDS

18,546.69

III. ENDOWMENT AND OTHER NON-EXPENDABLE FUNDS

A. Endowment Funds

Bowman Endowment Fund

Cash in bank	167.06	
Investments	141,653.94	141,821.00

College Endowment Fund

Cash in bank	453.96	
Investments	189,900.84	190,354.80

Daleville Endowment Fund

Cash in bank	5,361.25	
Investments	72,638.75	78,000.00

Class Loyalty Fund

Cash in bank	1,212.21	
Investments	4,074.00	5,286.21

John Kine Memorial Fund

Cash in bank	591.49	
Investments	6,077.33	6,668.82

Luken's Scholarship Fund

Cash in bank	1,057.81	
Investments	2,478.13	3,535.94

B. Annuity Funds		
Due from Plant Fund	68,300.00	
Due from College Endowment	3,200.00	71,500.00
TOTAL ENDOWMENT & NON-EXPEND- ABLE FUNDS		497,166.77

IV. PLANT FUNDS

A. Bonds (U.S. Government	900.00	
Cash	19,941.91	20,841.91
B. Investments in Plant		
College equipment	141,191.75	
Campus Improvement	790.67	
Real Estate—Land	79,910.28	
Real Estate—Buildings	825,314.75	
Insurance claim	22,665.79	
Less Other Invested in Plant	230,136.52	839,736.72
TOTAL PLANT FUNDS		860,578.63

V. AGENCY FUNDS

Cash in bank	8,002.02	
Due from other Funds	44,861.52	
TOTAL AGENCY FUNDS		57,863.54
TOTAL ASSETS		1,475,550.37

Balance Sheet

As of June 30, 1951

Liabilities

I. CURRENT FUNDS

A. General		
Accounts payable	4,929.56	
Student Deposits	3,356.37	
Surplus	32,379.21	40,665.14
B. Restricted Funds		
Student Activities	729.60	41,394.74

II. LOAN FUNDS

Principal of Student Loan Fund	3,079.37
Principal of Driver Loan Fund	1,099.11
Principal of Miller Loan Fund	1,097.27
Principal of F. C. Wampler Fund	4,566.44
Principal of Stone-Watts Loan Fund	2,500.00
Principal of Dove Loan Fund	3,017.17
Principal of J. F. Wampler Fund	1,087.33
Principal of C. G. Miller Fund	1,000.00
Principal of J. D. Driver Fund	500.00

Principal Anna Lee Carter Houff Fund	600.00	
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TOTAL LOAN FUNDS		18,546.69
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III. ENDOWMENT & OTHER NON-EXPENDABLE FUNDS

A. Unexpended Funds:

Notes payable	3,000.00	
Due Annuity Funds	3,200.00	
Principal of Funds:		
Bowman Endowment Fund	138,821.00	
College Endowment Fund	187,154.80	
Daleville Endowment Fund	78,000.00	
Class Loyalty Fund	5,286.21	
John Kline Memorial Fund	6,668.82	
C. Ed. Lukens Fund	3,535.94	

B. Annuity Funds

Principal of Funds	71,500.00	497,166.77
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IV. PLANT FUNDS

A. Unexpended Funds:

Home Economics Building Fund	5,045.60	
Music Building Fund	411.00	
Development Program	15,385.31	

B. Invested in Plant

Bonds outstanding—Blue Ridge Hall	90,000.00	
Reserve for Fire Loss	22,665.79	
Net Investment in Plant	727,070.93	860,578.63

V. AGENCY FUNDS

Miscellaneous Scholarship Funds	11,094.89	
Blue Ridge College Funds		
Blue Ridge Scholarship Fund	21,861.52	
Stoner-Roop Memorial Fund	20,000.00	
Blue Ridge Alumni Fund	3,000.00	44,861.52
Earnings from Blue Ridge Funds	1,907.12	57,863.54
TOTALS		1,475,550.37

The above reports are submitted by:

HARRY A. DRIVER, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees
 CECIL C. IKENBERRY, Treasurer of Bridgewater College

CERTIFICATE OF THE AUDITORS

We certify that, in our opinion, the attached Balance Sheet reflects the true financial position of the college at June 30, 1951 and the statement of Current Income and Expenses are fair and correct statements of operations for the years ended with that date.

Respectfully submitted

FRED P. EDWARDS COMPANY
 Certified Public Accountants

GIFTS TO THE TEN-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM OF BRIDGEWATER COLLEGE

From Church of the Southeastern Region

July 1, 1950 to June 30, 1951

FLORIDA AND GEORGIA		Fairview	3.00
Okeechobee	50.00		
Winter Park	100.00		53.00
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	150.00	N. AND S. CAROLINA	
MARDELA		Little Pine	10.00
Bethany	12.00	Pleasant Grove	32.78
Denton	31.00		<hr/>
Peach Blossom	10.00		42.78
	<hr/>	TENNESSEE	
	53.00	Fruitdale	20.00
EASTERN MARYLAND		Jackson Park	5.00
Baltimore, First	129.10	Johnson City	47.57
Baltimore, North	35.00	New Hope	81.51
Baltimore, Woodberry	52.20	Pleasant Hill	57.00
Beaver Dam	76.79		<hr/>
Bush Creek	30.00		211.08
Dundalk	105.00	EASTERN VIRGINIA	
Frederick	55.56	Fairfax	100.00
Long Green Valley	26.32	Madison	100.00
Meadow Branch	52.35	Manassas	2,816.00
Piney Creek	5.00	Nokesville	5.00
Pipe Creek	218.62	Richmond	50.00
Reistertown, Evergreen	20.00		<hr/>
Washington, D. C.	1,602.96		3,071.00
Westminster	223.23	FIRST VIRGINIA	
	<hr/>	Bethany	12.78
	2,632.13	Bethel	171.00
MIDDLE MARYLAND		Blue Ridge	10.00
Broadfording	35.72	Cloverdale	2,259.87
Brownsville	65.00	Copper Hill	1,030.00
Hagerstown	5,654.03	Crab Orchard	392.45
Manor	5.00	Hopewell	50.00
Martinsburg-Vanceleves		Peters Creek	81.00
ville	10.00	Pleasant View	192.21
Middletown Valley	60.15	Poages Mill	5.00
Pleasant View	92.25	Roanoke, Central	770.50
Sharpsburg	15.00	Roanoke, First	1,026.98
	<hr/>	Roanoke, Hollins Rd.	25.00
	5,937.15	Roanoke, Ninth St.	10.00
WESTERN MARYLAND		Roanoke, Williamson Rd.	156.33
Bear Creek	50.00	Selma	600.00

Smiths Chapel	96.68	Christiansburg	65.00
Terrace View	5.00	Fraternity	55.00
Troutville	200.00	Jones Chapel	5.00
		Maple Grove	47.32
	7,094.80	Mt. Hermon	12.50
NORTHERN VIRGINIA		Pleasant Hill	28.83
Brock Gap	25.00	Pleasant Valley	15.73
Cooks Creek	4,322.95	Schoolfield	26.59
Damascus	10.00	Topeco	7.00
Front Royal	18.65		
Greenmount	3,917.96		1,072.38
Harrisonburg	2,920.00	FIRST WEST VIRGINIA	
Linville Creek	3,752.00	Beaver Run	1,581.00
Lower Lost River	25.84	Bethel	205.00
Mathias	1,876.00	Egion	2,465.30
Mill Creek	3,891.00	Greenland	1,485.00
Moorefield	30.00	Harman	335.00
Mt. Zion	60.86	Keyser	1,057.10
Pleasant View	447.06	Morgantown	131.30
Rileyville	146.00	Old Furnace	493.21
Smith Creek	17.34	Petersburg	795.00
South Fork	150.00	Red Creek	143.46
Timberville	1,137.01	Sandy Creek	692.60
Unity	680.00	Seneca	72.15
Woodstock	50.00	Sunnyside	189.71
		Terra Alta	1,419.81
	23,477.67	White Pine	635.30
SECOND VIRGINIA		Wiley Ford	309.90
Barren Ridge	14.00		
Beaver Creek	1,660.84		12,010.84
Bridgewater	2,124.41	SECOND WEST VIRGINIA	
Buena Vista	38.92	Elkins	20.10
Elk Run	390.00	Gladys	11.00
Lebanon	82.53	Valley River	10.00
Middle River	214.02		
Moscow	585.00		41.00
Mt. Vernon	1,240.41	TOTAL	\$66,168.15
Pleasant Valley	3,142.09	(This total includes gifts	
Sangerville	5.00	sent direct from church	
Staunton	600.00	treasurers and gifts made	
Summit	50.00	by individuals with credit	
Valley Bethel	13.00	to their church.	
Waynesboro	161.00	REGIONAL GIFTS	1,977.48
	10,321.22		\$68,145.63
SOUTHERN VIRGINIA		GIFTS FROM OUTSIDE	
Antioch	150.00	THE REGION	5,297.16
Bassett	649.41		
Bethlehem	10.00	TOTAL GIFTS	\$73,442.79